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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 21, 2002, please enter the following amendment and reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

In the Claims:

Please amend Claim 66 as shown below:

66. (Amended) A method for treating a hematopoietic disease, comprising administrating to a patient that has been made susceptible to treatment for a hematopoietic disease by the method of Claim 65 a drug that binds said drug binding domain.